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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: Phase change material thermal capacitor clothing

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.56**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith on Form PTO-1449 a listing of the documents A6-A61 cited by or submitted to the USPTO in parent applications Serial Nos. 07/913,246; 08/404,419; and 09/033,439, filed on 07/14/1992; 03/15/1995; and 03/02/1998, respectively. As provided in 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of the documents A6-A61 are not being provided since they were previously submitted to the United States Patent & Trademark Office in the above-identified parent applications.

Applicant also submits two journal articles A62 and A63 that were not cited in the parent application.

The submission of any document herewith, which is not a statutory bar, is not intended as an admission that such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application or that such document is considered material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b). Applicant does not waive any rights to take any action which would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove as a competent reference any document which is determined to be a *prima facie* art reference against the claims of the present application.

**TIMING OF THE DISCLOSURE**

The listed documents are being submitted in compliance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 CFR §1.113, a notice of allowance under 37 CFR §1.113, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application.

**RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT**

The journal articles A62 and A63 are in English. The documents A6-A61 were cited in the parent applications.

Applicant respectfully requests that any listed document be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

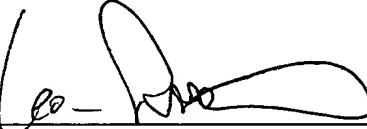
**FEE**

A fee in connection with submission of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR §1.97(c) in the amount of \$180.00 in accordance with 37 CFR §1.17(p) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 CFR §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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